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CONSCIENCELESS THIEVES LOOT CHURCHES

GOLD SERVICE VESSELS AND CASH IS THE BOOTY

Three North Side Churches Pilfered

THREE GOLD CHALICES GONE

Police Have no Clew to Robbers Who Escape With About $500

Two men, believed to be suspects, were arrested and confined in station No. 2 on the north side this afternoon.

Church robbers entered four large churches on the north side last evening, secured booty the value of which is variously estimated at from $300 to $500, and made their escape without leaving a clue to their identity or destination.

Entrance in each case was effected by the use of skeleton keys, as there was no sign of breakage and the windows were all closed. Burned matches scattered about the church floors indicated the path of the robbers' search for valuables.

The churches robbed were the St. James Catholic church, corner of Windsor and Caledonia streets, St. John's Catholic church, corner of St. James and Avon street, Norwegian Lutheran church, corner of Sill and Charles streets and the North Presbyterian church, on Avon and Logan streets.

St. James' Treasure Safe.

St. James' church was the first to be entered, and suffered the least. An altar bread box was the only article of value taken, Father Murphy estimating that this $5 theft represents the entire loss at St. James. A silver patten was missed, but a search revealed the fact that the robbers had left it behind. All the drawers of the sacristi had been pulled open and the vestments were thrown about the floor. An effort was made to get into tabernacle in quest of the cibora, but while the key lay overlooked on the floor where it was picked up by the officers this morning, the effort to get at the valuables failed. The baptismal font was scratched, showing that it had been tampered with. A light had been turned on, and was found burning in the morning.

Rich Haul Made.

At St. John's church the richest haul was made. Three chalices, one of solid gold and two of silver plated with gold, were secured; an absolution cup, a gold ciboria and two candlesticks were also taken, the entire loss amounting to possibly $200. Beside the taking of the booty, no damage was done here.

More Booty Secured.

At the Norwegian Lutheran church the robbers secured another valuable quantity of loot. A solid silver communion service was taken, which alone was of great value. Other things were disturbed, but nothing more of considerable value was taken.

Nothing Doing Here.

At the Presbyterian church the thieves found little of value. A gas stove was lighted, and was left burning. A search for valuables was evidently made, but none were accessible.

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OIL TRUST TRIES TO DOWN BRYAN

Thinks it Can Kill Him With It's Favor--He Visits Douma Today

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

CLEVELAND, June 15.—Virgil P. Kline, personal attorney of Rockefeller and prominent among Standard counsel, today declared himself in favor of Bryan.

William Visits Douma.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 15.—W. J. Bryan attended the Douma and had his picture taken with a number of deputies. He will go to stockholm tonight.

The session today was a lively one. Questions were addressed to the government in regard to figthing out bialystock. Advises today show many outrages in other provinces.

It reported the Smirnoff mills and corn stores at Tula have been burning three days and there is trouble at Sebastopol. The Sebastopol express was six hours late in arriving here and was attacked by twenty thousand peasants. The passengers escaped uninjured.

Bryan Jr. Home.

LINCOLN, Neb., June 15.—W. J. Bryan, Jr., arrived this morning from his tour of the world. He left his parents in Vienna and will spend a month on a Colorado ranch and will then resume his studies at Culver academy.

TWENTY MAY HAVE DIED IN FIRE ON VESSEL

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

SEATTLE, June 15.—The schooner Argus is burning thirty miles off Destruction Island, according to the steamer Annuncion, the captain of which thinks the crew of twenty were blown up in the explosion of gasoline aboard the Argus.

DEWEY NEARS SINGAPORE

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The navy department has been notified that the dry dock Dewey passed Sabang Bay June 13th and is expected at Singapore June 20th.

COMMISSION WANTS INFORMATIO ON COAL AND

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The interstate commerce commission this morning sent a letter to every railroad in the country seeking information on the coal and oil trade.

ONALASKA TOWN TO RESENT LAND TRICK IN COURT

PRESIDENT SENDS KEEN REPRIMAND

Is Greatly Displeased With Committee Amendment to Meat Inspection

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch)

WASHINGTON, June 15.—A contest between the house and the president is likely.

The president sent a letter of keen disapproval to the Wadsworth amendment to the inspection bill. The president's friends tried to tell the president his disapproval would result in misapprehension. Even Cannon this morning called at the white house and told the executive he was in error.

Following Cannon's visit the president issued another statement reiterating his disapproval of the bill as the house committee now approves it. It is said the question of who will bear the cost of the inspection is the least of the president's objections.

Minority Report Drastic.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—Bowie of Alabama, submitted the house minority report on the inspection bill protesting against the proposed appropriation of two million annually to pay for the inspection. He denounces the court review provision as "a new departure in legislation, unjustified by a single fact."

He opposes the repeal for the civil service law insofar as the inspectors of meat are concerned and declares this provision is unsound, dangerous and vicious.

He recommends the Beveridge bill as "far better, and will accomplish more satisfactory than the bill the committee favors."

PUNCH ROBERTSON IS OUT FOR CLERK

Robert Robertson, whom La Crosse and every other community knows better as "Punch" Robertson, today announces his candidacy for the republican nomination for the office of clerk of court.

Mr. Robertson is one of the best known of any of the thus-far-announced candidates, and his wide popularity and genial disposition, coupled with liberal qualifications for the office he seeks will no doubt be taken into consideration by the voters at the primaries.

BADGER CONSUL AT TASMANIA

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The president nominated to be consuls general:

Geo. Horton of Illinois at Athens.

Gabirel Bieravendal of South Dakota to Beirut, Turkey.

To be consuls:

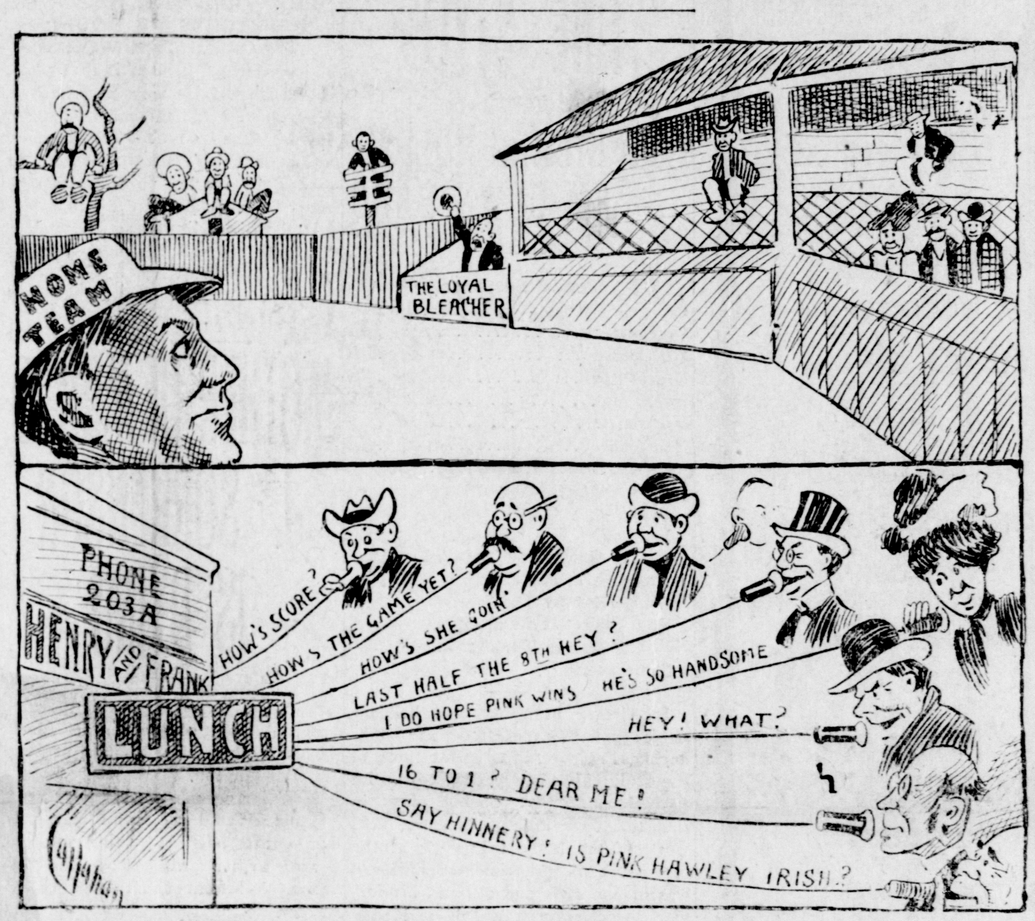
Robert Bergh of North Dakota at Dusseldorf, Germany.

E. S. Hotchkiss of Wisconsin at Hobart, Tasmania.

John F. Jewet of Illinois at St. Michael, Azores.

John H. Shirley, Illinois, at Suva.

HOW LA CROSSE PATRONIZES BASEBALL.



SPORTING EXTRA

Innings.....	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Final
La Crosse . . .	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	—4
Freeport . . .	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	—3

Batteries: La Crosse, Jones-Killian; Freeport, Warhop-Erickson.

CRIMINAL CHARGES ON PROMOTERS

In a letter to the stockholders of the Mexican Plantation company, doubtless inspired by the personal charges made against him, Secretary M. E. oHrne has advised them that he is doing his best to subserve their interests, and makes the chage that the conduct of the promoters of which complaint is made in the actions already commenced, constitutes a criminal offense. He advises them that they have a right to make complaint and intimates that the office of the prosecuting attorney of La Crosse county may soon have the matter under advisement. The letter follows:

La Crosse, Wis., June 14, 1906.

Dear Sir:

In view of the charges and claims made by the promoters of this company in regard to my conduct of the business of the company, and my action in procuring judgment against it upon the note which the company gave to J. Stirneman, Jr., and upon which I was an endorser, I desire to inform you that I have been using my utmost endeavor to conserve the property of the company and to require those who are justly indebted to it, and who have, in my judgment, defrauded it, to pay into the treasury of the company that which is due from them.

It would be idle for me, as you of course well know, to attempt to gain any preference over other creditors or to appropriate the property of the company to the satisfaction of my claims as against the interests of the stockholders, ofr whom, in my official capacity I regard myself as trustee.

to making it a basis for proceedings I obtained the judgment with a view to bring into the treasury of the company certain equitable assets thereof, which could be had in no other manner.

The suit which I have begun against the company and its promoters and certain subscribers of the stock, has been brought in my own behalf and on behalf of all of the creditors and all other persons who have an interest in the company, and for the purpose of having all of the assets of the company equitably and honestly appropriated to the payment of debts and to the various stockholders rightfully interested therein.

I am, however, pleased to inform you that it is my expectation that the proceedings which I have instituted, and which have been instituted on behalf of the company may ultimately result in the further development of the property and business of the company, and that, eventually, it will result in bringing about such a condition as will make the bona fide fully paid stock of the company worth dollar for dollar.

I am advised by my attorneys that the action of the promoters of the company was in violation of the criminal laws of this state, and that, should any of the parties aggrieved see fit to lodge complaint against them, they would undoubtedly be required to pay the penalty of obtaining property under false pretenses.

In view of my position in the matter, I, of course, do not desire to institute such a complaint. I am informed, however, that the mater is likely to be placed in the hands of the district attorney of this county for his action and consideration thereon.

Very truly yours,

H. E. HORNE.

AUSPICIOUS OPENING OF BATH

Kreutz's Full Orchestra and Special Program for Tomorrow

To the strains of Kreutz's orchestra, and weather willing in the presence of an immense crowd, the public baths will be opened tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The concert will take place in front of the bath house between 2 o'clock and 3 o'clock. Every preparation to entertain the crowds has been made, and bathing as a pastime will be inaugurated for the season under conditions calculated to immediately popularize the sport.

Alderman Gus Kellar, whose popular cognomen of "Bath House Gus" was given him because he fathered the bath house ordinance and has been its patron saint, has had the event in charge, and has done much to improve the facilities. Many old objections have been removed, and the precautions against accident are of a most carefully planned nature.

The public bath committee of the council has worked industriously with Chairman Kellar, and it is anticipated that the opening tomorrow will be one of the gala events of the season. Many bathers have announced their intention to be present.

BIG EXCURSION TODAY.

Several hundred people came here this afternoon from Lansing and other down river points on the excursion steamer J. S., visiting La Crosse merchants before returning.

City Flim-Flammed Them, 'Tis Said

V. S. KAEPPLE TALKS TODAY

Says City Threw Taxation and Bridge Support on Farmers

The town of Onalaska, according to Town Chairman V. S. Kaepple, will begin action in court at once to have annualled the action of the voters of the city of Onalaska last year in turning over to the town of Onalaska a strip of land which forces the town taxpayers to maintain an expensive bridge.

A strip of land which was occupied by the saw mills during the busy times in the lumber industry was always a portion of the city of Onalaska. This strip lies between the Onalaska shore and the French Island shore and it connects with a bridge to French island by means of which the farmers of that district came to Onalaska to trade. This bridge, however, was expensive, and when the mills closed down, Onalaska city, Kaepple says, decided not to longer maintain the bridge, if it was possible to get out of it.

At the last election, he says, the city voted to throw the land in question back into the town of Onalaska, thus escaping the taxation necessary to maintain the bridge.

This, Kaepple maintains, the city had no right to do, and the action to be brought is to force the obnoxious bit of land back onto the Onalaska taxpayers to maintain.

HORNE STARTS A $100,000 SUIT THIS AFTERNOON

As announced exclusively in The Tribune last evening, a second suit against the promoters of the Mexican Plantation company has been commenced, the complaint having been filed today. The defendants are the same as those in the former case, with the addition of Nels P. Haugen, a prominent state official and politician of River Falls, and A. Baldwin & Co., whose names have been added.

The plaintiff in this case is H. E. Horne, instead of the plantation company. The action is in the natrue of a creditor's suit. The scope of the complaint is similar to that in the original suit, the money involved being $100,000 of which $60,000 is alleged to be past due. The plaintiff recites in detail transfers and issues of stock of the company by which he claims the defendants wrongfully and fraudulently profited.

A receiver for the company is asked ofr, and the court is requested to direct the defendants to pay into his hands the moneys alleged to have been fraudulently secured by them.

CHIEF DISTURBER IS SLAIN IN WAR

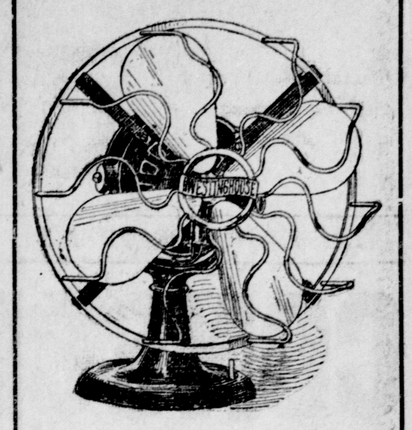
DURBAN, June 15.—It is definitely learned that Bambasta, the chief disturber, was killed in a fight June 10. It is now expected the revolt will speedily die out.

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Teams' Standings.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Freeport	23	11	.679
La Crosse	21	11	.656
Green Bay	20	14	.588
Oshkosh	14	17	.451
Wausau	11	21	.344
Eau Claire	9	24	.273

Results Yesterday.

La Crosse 3, Freeport 0.
Green Bay 4, Oshkosh 3.
Wausau 6, Eau Claire 5.

Games for Today.

Freeport at La Crosse.
Green Bay at Oshkosh.
Eau Claire at Wausau.

Games Tomorrow.

Same as today.

La Crosse in a fast and brilliant game yesterday defeated her arch-enemy, Freeport, in the first game of the series by a score of 3 to 0. La Crosse made four double plays in the first four innings and the field work of the home team was at the top notch all the time. Schneiberg was in fine style and allowed his former associates but 4 hits and they developed nothing.

Scott, twirler for Freeport, was strong, until two errors by Moriarity in the seventh rattled him and before he recovered three scores had been run in. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
La Crosse..	0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 *	3	7	2
Freeport ..	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	4	4

Batteries: Schneiberg and Killian; Scott and Erickson.

Green Bay 4, Oshkosh 3.

GREEN BAY, Wis., June 15.—Two hits, coupled with two errors by Hanford in the seventh, netted Green Bay three runs, which, followed by one in the ninth on two hits, gave the opener to the locals. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Green Bay.	0 0 0 0 0 0 3 1 *	4	7	1
Oshkosh ..	0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 1	3	7	3

Bateries: Green Bay, Bubser and Tennant; Oshkosh, Garlic and Hanford.

AT THE THEATRES

PART IMPRESSED ON LIFE OF AN ACTOR

Wet with perspiration and almost exhausted J. Y. Lewis, who delineates the actions of a man suffering from delirium tremens, staggered from the stage to the dressing room at the Bijou.

"Hard work?" suggested a friend

"I should say it is hard," said Lewis, "and I am thinking of giving it up. There is such a thing as losing oneself completely in a character like this. Still there are worse. I was understudy for both W. H. Hartigan and Thomas F. Shay, who play Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde, and I know full well the result fo repeated appearances in that famous dual part.

"I have known men who delineated fiends to commit fiendish crimes. I know an actor who would have been hanged for a foul murder had it not been shown that the part he played had become part of himself. I have seen husky men repeatedly handcuff the greatest Hyde in the business to prevent injury to others. There is a limit."

The act presented by Lewis and his wife is one of the most startling ever given on any stage. As unusual character work it is well worth seeing. Mr. Lewis has been warmly complimented on his ability as a tragedian.

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MOTHER OF MRS. O. J. SORRENSON IS DYING

Mrs. Ori J. Sorrenson this morning received word of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Rounds, at Seattle, Washington.

Mrs. Sorrenson's mother is 75 years old and suffered an attack of paralysis, her entire left side being effected. Owing to her advanced age the physicians hold out small hope of recovery.

Mrs. Sorrenson will leave at once for Seattle.

FATHER OF HARRY TAGGART IS DEAD

Mr. Harry Taggart, a well known businessman who offices in the McMillan building, received word today of the death of his father, William Taggart, at Shenandoah, Pa.

Deceased was in his 82nd year, and was one of the oldest residents in that section of the country. He sunk the first ore shaft driven in the coal mining regions of Schuylkill county.

William Taggart left a wife and ten children surviving, of whom all but Harry Taggart are residents of Pennsylvania. Mr. Taggart had just returned from a visit to his father's bedside, and had left him in apparently improving health. The news of his sudden death was a surprise.

THOUSANDS AT WOODMAN PICNIC

REEDSBURG, Wis., June 15.—Several thousand people from surrounding cities and the country attended the annual picnic of the Baraboo Valley Modern Woodmen and Royal Neighbors' Picnic association here yesterday. The ideal weather brought out an unusually large attendance. The feature in the morning was a monster parade, in which the visiting camps, with several bands, participated. Numerous emblematic floats and a large number of floats representing business houses entered the parade. At the business meeting Albeman was selected as the next place of meeting, in June, 1907. During the afternoon there was an address by J. M. Gooding of Fond du Lac, a number of races, and competitive drills of Foresters and Royal Neighbor teams. Baraboo won the first prize for Foresters and Wonewoc the first prize for Royal Neighbors' drills. A game of baseball between the Reedsburg Woodmen and the Reedsburg woolen mills teams resulted in a victory for the Woodmen. A fire run by the Reedsburg fire company and an exhibition drill by the members of Company B of this city were features of the early evening. A dance was given to close the day's festivities.

The remarkable pictures of land and sea by Svend Svendsen, the distinguished painter—son of Norway—will be shown the public free of charge on Saturday evening, June 16, from 8 to 11 o'clock, at the Y. W. C. A. house, Fourth and Cass streets. Next week the various churches will be given an evening.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO COUNTY COURT.

State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County.—ss. In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the second Tuesday, being the 10th day of July, A. D. 1906, at ten o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Lydia S. Allen to admit to probate the last will and testament of Thomas Kennedy Allen, late of the city of La Crosse in said County of La Crosse, deceased.

Dated June 15, 1906.

By order of the Court,

JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.

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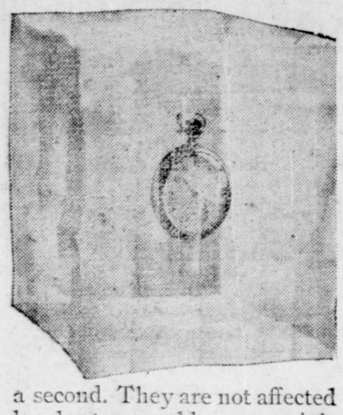
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CITY NEWS

CHANDELIER PARLOR, 227 Main.

New regulations which have been posted advise that hereafter all motor boats must be provided with compressed air or steam whistles and approved signals.

Electric fans $9. A. O. Colby.

A number of Freeport Y. M. C. A. boys are enroute to La Crosse, across country, afoot.

Wanted—Cutters at the Valyu Garment Co.

Greater laughing show you ever saw at the Bijou this week.

Special excursions over the southeastern are being planned for the Dana concert at Myrick park.

Charles B. King is at Redwing.

No meeting of Elks was held last night. The next regular meeting will be held next Thursday, the regular bi-weekly meetings having been resumed.

A scraem from start to finish at the Bijou this week.

Business men's and family excursion to Winona Saturday afternoon, June 16th, on the steamer J. S. Leaves La Crosse at 2:30 p. m., arrives Winona 5:30 p. m. Leaves Winona 7:00 p. m., arrives La Crosse 9:30 p. m. Fare only 50c for the round trip.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto A. Zuehlke, 1211 Park avenue last evening and left a dainty little stranger—a girl.

Miss Lulu Shane is visiting her parents in New Lisbon, Wis.

"Ten cents on the red," said the customer.

"This store is no roulette wheel," said O. Walter.

"Oh, tumble," said the customer. "Gimme ten cents' worth of Red Feather."

Mrs. M. Groves has purchased for $1,550 on Ninth and Grove street from Mary Chamberlain and E. H. Chamberlain.

Dance at Schams' Saturday, June 16th.

William Lempke, who died after swallowing a plum pit was laid to rest today in the South Ridge, Minn., cemetery.

Good looks bring happiness. Friends care more for us when we meet them with a clean, smiling face, bright eyes sparkling with health, which comes by taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ask your druggist.

Owing to non-approval of the decision of the committee in exonerating Commander O. S. Sisson, Alderman William Grover has resigned from the William McKinley post, G. A. R.

Charley Harris, that cut up, is telling some funny stories every show at the Bijou.

Excursion to Winona on steamer J. S., Sunday, June 17th. Leaves La Crosse 9 a. m., arrives Winona 12 p. m. Leaves Winona 4 p. m. Fare only 50c for the round trip. Moonlight excursion leaves 8 p. m. returns 11:30 p. m. Fare, gents 50c, ladies 25c.

A band concert will be hold at the golf club house Saturday night.

Morris Jafffe was kicked in the leg in a runaway horse attached to a Koller Brothers' delivery wagon yesterday, which he was driving.

A capital smoke is Dengler's Capital—pure delight for 5c.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Boynton entertained the Ladies' Industrial society of the First Baptist church last evening at a "dollar social." More than a hundred enjoyed the evening.

Fifty guests were entertained at dinner by Mrs. Max Affeldt Wednesday.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

Flag day exercises were held at the public library last night for the children. Several war veterans were in attendnace.

The boy stood on the burning deck;
'Twas too hot altogether.
Said the burning lad, "I wish I had
Been made of old Red Feather,
For then I wouldn't care a slam
For this dogoned hot weather.

Miss Hazel Kaberkern of New Albin, Ia., has returned home.

Hiram Goddard returned yesterday from Portland, where he saw S. A. D. Puter, the land grafter, who swindled him out of some thousands of dollars.

Freeport came in for its share of good natured jesting at the Bijou last night when Mr. Harris the comedian appeared.

More than half a million officials, business, profession men, bankers, farmers and stockmen have been cured by using Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ask your drugist.

Ike Goodman has returned to the city after a trip through the southwest with a musical organization. He has not decided whether to remain here or go on the road with another organization.

C. E. Burnett is in Milwaukee.

Dr. W. Powell, disease of women.

H. Story, a brother of J. Ole Storey has returned west after spending a few weeks here.

Electric fans $9. A. O. Colby.

Mrs. E. G. Boynton is entertaining her niece, Miss Alma Nichols, daughter of Senator J. H. Nichols of Pipestone, Minn.

J. P. Cushner ran in from Chicago Tuesday to visit friends here. He returned Wednesday night. Friends say he has not decided upon a permanent location.

The noble redman loved Winnesheik. Redmen as well as white men love Dengler's Winnesheik, a 10c cigar of quality.

Frank Weltroske has purchased property on Vine between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets from William K. Moore for $2,000.

Dr. W. Powell, diseases of women.

The band concert which was to have been given at the Country club was postponed last night owing to the weather. It will occur Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Price of Minneapolis are visiting with Mrs. Joseph Matiak of 627 South Fourth street.

Go to Winona on the steamer J. S. Saturday at 2:30 p. m., or Sunday at 9 a. m.

Four new arc lamps have been strung along the levee in front of Spence park.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman B. Black of St. Paul are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Harrison, and will remain over Sunday. Mr. Black who is one of the best baritone singers in the northwest will sing in the First Baptist church Sunday morning and in he First M. E. church Sunday.

When washing your good clothes you can not afford to use common soap even though it costs you nothing. Beach's Peosta Soap used according to directions will save in the wear of clothes more than it costs.

Rev. Father Henry Artman, ordained last week in Indiana, celebrated his first mass at the St. Francis hospital in Freeport, Ill., yesterday. Rev. Artman will come to the La Crosse diocese to be assigned a pastorate by Bishop Schwebach.

Jack Moore, brother-in-law of County Clerk Charles Rawlinson, arrived here with his family from Mexico at 3 o'clock this morning. They will spend a vacation visiting with friends and relatives here.

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LA CSOSSE, WIS.



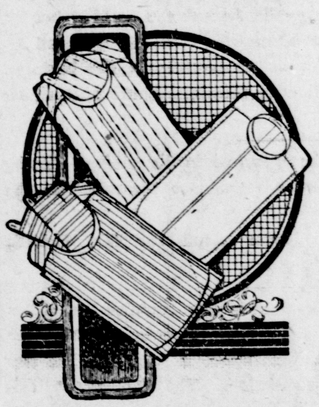
Summer Clothing.

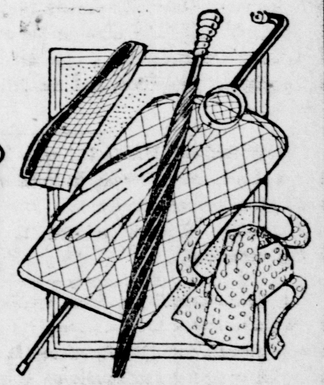
The hot months are yet to come. We cannot escape the inevitable. We should maks ourselves as comfortable as possible by wearing the lightest clothing made for summer wear.

OUR OUTING SUITS

Are made for just that purpose to make you comfortable and stylish as well. Kuppenheimer garments are always stylish & perfectly tailored. We will furnisn you the very latest in outing suits or the three-piece snits, whichever suits you best. Be fair to yourself and come to our store before you make your purchase.



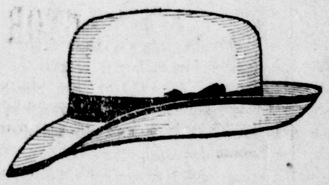




NEGLIGEE SHIRTS

They are the kind for hot weather, who wants to wear a stiff shirt in hot weather, it is too much like going to jail. Our stock is plum full of all the nice kinds. You can find just what you want if you will only come and see them.

STRAW AND PANAMA HATS





A swell line for you to select from. *The* styles differ a little from last year. We haven't any old stock, ours are all brand new blocks, strictly up to the letter.

NECK TIES

You should not miss seeing our magnificent line of Men's Neck Ties. A veritable rainbow of colors in all the styles. : : : : : : : :

Peter Newburg, 324-326 Pearl Street.....

Smoke Delight

is the reward of a discriminating taste in the selection of one's cigars. Hereabout fastidious smokers prefer

JOYCE

It's a fragrant Havana and

IT'S MADE IN LA CROSSE

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THE COUNCIL AND THE NORMAL.

The city council must soon decide the question of whether or not it will provide money to secure a site for the normal school that the state legislature has concluded to place in this city subject only to the condition that a site be furnished. It is an important problem, and should receive careful attention.

The Tribune has no inclination to chide the aldermen for having treated this matter with deliberation. There are in connection with it phases that require caution and intelligent perusal. The newspaper that this morning expressed the opinion that the aldermen have not the "intelligence to deal with the subject" came to that conclusion only after the aldermen demonstrated that they had too much intelligence to permit the complaining editor to rob them in the matter of public printing. Slurs of this sort are easily understood.

The discussion of the subject tonight in joint comimttee meeting, will we believe be conducted in a temperate and thoughtful manner, and the decision rendered will represent the opinions of the aldermen present in the commitees. That they will finally find a suitable way to raise the required funds we both hope and anticipate. That the city council has both the intelligence and the purpose to handle this important matter in a manner to best conserve the interests of the entire community is evidenced by its record in dealing with many of the most weighty problems that have ever confronted this city.

The persistence of President Roosevelt in insisting upon an inspection law that will actually protect the public against the packing houses, will no doubt call forth another burst of hysteria from the wronged innocents, but the American people are with the executive in this business. The "big stick" is needed, and the fellow in the white house knows how to use it.

The discredited Mr. Gelat, who has grown into the habit of "losing out" on about everything he undertakes, has taken to "crackin'" at the council at every opportunity.

(Note—The Council refused to longer stand for Mr. Gelatt's printing conspiracy.)

The Gelatt-Cargill-Jim Stras syndicate of public opinion moulders has started to knock the La Crosse normal school. It does not think the common council, which refused to let them bunco it longer on the city printing, is competent to handle an appropriation. The "interests" evidently have looked up the fine poinas of the law on this.

Sometimes a merchant must "stretch his credit to the utmost limit" to secure enough advertising to re-instate in public interest a store that had begun to "lose ground." "There happen sometimes incidents in life from which it requires a degree of madness to extricate ourselves well."

Tomorrow will be a great day for Alderman Keller. The public is in sympathy with his efforts on behalf of the public bath, and his work concerning it is appreciated.

No, children, we cannot easily explain why Editor Gelatt puts his foot in his mouth every time he opens it. It is a strange failing for such a "close-mouthed" man.

The man who begins thus early to talk politics is likely to have some tall side-stepping to do in order to mount the band wagon later on.

The only way to burglarize La Crosse is to do it quick and run fast and far. This is no boarding house for grafters.

I DEFY

any PLUMBER, it does not matter where from, to compete with my work.
Estimates cheerfully given.
P. F. Cavanaugh
Cavanaugh & Smith
113 N. Third St.

JUST LIFE



John D.'s Cinch.

John D. gained seven pounds in crossing the Atlantic—to say nothing of several hundred thousand dollars from his investments that "work while he sleeps."—Los Angeles Herald.

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How "Punch" Will Win.

"Glad to hear you're coming out for clerk of the court, Punch," we remarked to our genial friend, Robt. Robertson, today when we heard of it. "You'll beat 'em all."



"I'm going to give them a run," admitted Punch.

"You should have come out earlier though."

"Well," said the next clerk of the court, "I believe in the old doctrine, that 'the last shall be first and the first shall be last.' I waited until all the others announced themselves and now I'm out—on this theory."

And Punch smiled quietly as he hurried up the street.

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Gracious, how incompetent the "distinguished common council" of "our beautiful city" has become of late. And all since the printing award to the Tribune. The conuty board is due for a few hot shots, too.

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Well, Pink's team licked um, anyway.

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A queen can do no wrong (unless in the hands of the other fellow).

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Judging from the frequency with which such verses as "To Button Her Waist Behind," and "She felt of her belt behind" and "She felt of her hair behind," etc., appear in Vacant Vagaries, Poet Laureate W. F. G. must have odd inspirations.

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Funny the Cargill syndicate never discovered the "incompetecny" of our council until after it lost the printing.

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The contention that one is lonely if he's good, recalls that many people enjoy solitude best.

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It would seem that Mexican Plantation attached to anything would be like "counterfeit" to greenbacks.

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A man who will rob a church is, well—certainly not a Christian.

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Mr. Shonts believes we should be "brought back to our old honest moorings." It's certainly a shame when the people get away from the moorings the grafters have prepared for them.

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And now a packingtown disgrace has been unearthed in London.

—W. V. K.

THE STATE PRESS

There are indications that when Mr. La Follette returns home he will find that "the work" which he finished before entering the national arena will need to be done over again if the people's liberties are not to be lost.—Milwaukee News.

As to Usage.

It can be argued that free transportation for railroad employes is in the nature of a bribe, but the word employe should be made to mean precisely what it is and no substerfuge. —Racine Journal.

He Paid For It.

McGillivray thinks that Connor is reckless when he uses committee stationery for private correspondence. Connor thinks that he has a perfect right to use what he paid for out of his own pocket. There's certainly no graft in that.—Janesville Gazette.

Don't Want Doctor.

In the interest of the state of Wisconsin the proposed candidacy of Dr. Gordon of the Northern hospital for insane at Oshkosh for governor should be frowned upon. He is needed too much in the position he now occupies. It takes a great deal smarter man to successfully manage an insane asylum than it does to be a governor.—Green Bay Gazette.

That's Strange.

Hon. John Strange of Oshkosh was in the city this morning. In a brief interview he informed. The Times that he would not be a candidate for congress; that he takes but little interest in the Host-Houser matter; that he had a big offer from Neenah to engage in a big political deal; that he is feeling well and happy, and that he is attending strictly to business.—Neenah Times.

England Don't Love Us Much.

Bishop Potter of New York has returned from a visit to England with the conviction that the friendship between the British and American peoples, which has been emphasized at various "hands- across-the-sea" occasions, notably at banquets, is largely gush. He says that "we may depend upon it that there is no love lost between the two nations. The British ideas of America are vague and are not just. The more intelligent think we are too eager for gain; the mob that we are a nation of grafters." It is suspected that someone in England has been touching the bishop on a sore spot. Though a churchman he is not insensible to the good things of earth and during the course of his career in preaching the gospel he has managed to accumulate a competence that would enable him to feed several multitudes without evoking a miracle.

Whatever may have led to the bishop's awakening, he is not in error in his finding that the friendship between Great Britain and the United States, as it is emphaseized over the wine of the American ambassador at London or at a banquet in honor of a visiting lord or dude at New York, is mere gush. Yet there is no occasion for surprise. It is hardly in the nature of a discovery. Gush is the product of banquets. Placing a claw-hammer coat on a citizen and filling him up with select wines mellows him. He loves the world in general and the occasion in particular. The banquet is seductive, though there are times when it is not a banquet or a dinner. It depends largely upon the drinks. A banquet that breaks up in a row with its promotors denouncing their guests as liars for questioning their motives is not a banquet. It is a scrap.

If you can't boost, don't knock!

CONSCIENCELESS

(Continued from page 1.)

No Clue Left.

The thieves made goot their escape, without leaving a single clue upon which to work. A force of detectives were set to work on the case, but nothing could be found. Chief Byrne believes it was an early evening robbery and that the robbers were many miles away before morning. The stolen stuff was probably melted and cast in ingots before daybreak this morning, according to the theory of the detectives. The department has little hope of capturing the perpetrators of this clueless crime.

Worked In State.

It is thought possible that this is the gang of church robbers who were working in the eastern part of the state a short while ago. Their method is similar, and they escaped without apprehension from their former raid. The robberies had stored up so much activity on the part of the authorities, that they doubtless decided to lay low for a time. This is the first crime of the sort in many weeks.

Not Library Thieves.

The theory advanced by church members this morning that the library robbery was committed by the same gang, is not given serious consideration by the police. The method was different, and the elapsed time is against the theory. Library thievery is an entirely separate branch of the criminal profession. A number of these robberies have occurred about the state. Thieves of this sort usually have worked single handed.

A "Nosegay" Found.

A "mender" of anything from umbrellas to cook stoves was arrested on the north side this morning, on the theory that he migth be a "nosegay." A "nosegay" is a man who comes as advance guard to a band of housebreakers and grafters, his business being by plying his supposed trade to gain access to houses and "size up" the chances of easy entrance and good loot. When he has "spotted" some rich "cribs," the gang follows and does the stealing. The man arrested this morning was released after defying a sweating to elicit anything from him.

The Tribune prints complete local and telegraphic news each day—no rehash from other papers.

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BATAVIAN NATIONAL BANK

LA CROSSE, WIS.

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT

CAPITAL - - - - - - - - - $400,000

SURPLUS - - - - - - - - - 100,000

RULES OF SAVINGS DEPARTMENT

Deposits of one dollar and upward will be received. All deposits and withdrawals must be entered in the depositor's pass book **when made,** and no money **will be paid,** or **shall be payable,** except on presentation of the pass book.

Interest at the rate of 3% per annum will be credited on all sums on deposit on the first days of January and July, and which have remained on deposit for not less than three months. No interest figured on fractions of a dollar or for parts of a month.

This bank reservos the right to require sixty days' notice of the withdrawal of deposits, and the right to repay deposits at any time and to reduce the rate of interest by giving notice by mail or by publication.

ALWAYS BRING THIS BOOK WITH YOU.

Deposits made on or before July 5th draw interest from July 1st.

CHILD DEAD.

One of the little boys of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dudley of 407 Sumner street, died at 3 o'clock this afternoon of eczema. General arrangements will be announced later. Wm. Dwyer in charge.

Don't forget the excursion Sunday on the steamer Lion to Genoa and return, 25c round trip. Boat leaves 9 o'clock Sunday morning.

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TO LA CROSSE

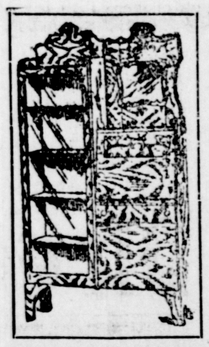
BARGAIN SEEKERS

For a short time we intend to conduct a series of Special Sales, these sales will be for three days each and whatever articles offered will be at a big special cut, these special cuts being good only on days advertised. So come during days advertised, if you wish to buy at these prices. For

Saturday, Monday & Tuesday

We shall place on sale all Combination Writing *and* Book Cases and Ladies' Writing Desks.

NOTE THE BIG CUT IN PRICES.



$15.00 Golden Oak Combination Book Case, sale price.....$11.50
18.00 " " " " 13.50
20.00 " & Mahogany " " " 15.50
22.50 " " " " " 18.00
27.00 " " " " " 21.00
16.00 Ladies' Early English Writing Desk, special sale.....14.00
10.00 " " " " 8.50
12.00 Ladies' Golden Oak " " 9.50
7.00 " " " " 5.00

TERMS CASH OR CREDIT.

Remember we positively guarantee to sell you any article in the furniture or carpet line for less money than competitors. There is a reason why. Remember also Your Credit is Good.

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The Store Out of the High Rent District. SAVE THE DIFFERENCE.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

State Bank of La Crosse, La Crosse, Wis., April 6, 1906.

Resources.

Loans and discounts	$649,407.19
Overdrafts	374.59
U. S. and other bonds and securities	77,665.90
Banking house and fixtures	12,000.00
Due from bank and in vault	310,674.85
Total	$1,050,122.53

Liabilities.

Capital stock	$ 50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	9,980.34
Deposits	940,142.19
Total	$1,050,122.53

NATIONAL BANK OF LA CROSSE.

April 6th, 1906.

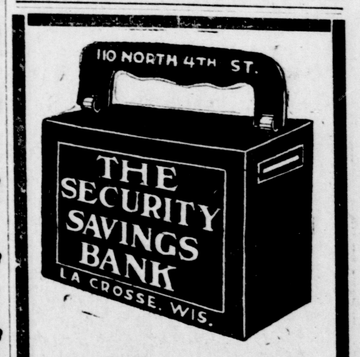
Resources.

Loans and discounts	$2,853,734.06
Overdrafts	1,745.17
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	250,000.00
Other bonds	212,800.00
Banking house	50,000.00
Other real estate	100.00
Cash Resources.	
J. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits $ 50,000.00	
With banks 564,971.32	
With treasurer of the U.S. 12,500.00	
n vaults 202,048.79	
	829,520.11
Total	$4,197,899.34

Liabilities.

Capital	$ 250,000.00
Surplus	200,000.00
Undivided profits	24,239.57
Circulation	250,000.00
Deposits	3,473,659.77
Total	$4,197,899.34

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Deposits made prior to 5th, draw interest from 1st of each month.

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Look Best and Wear Longest.

New Potatoes,
New Cabbage,
New Onions,
Tomatoes, Beans, Peas,
Dark Green Cucumbers.

JOHN C. BURNS
FRUIT HOUSE

ANNUAL GRADUATION AT LA CROSSE HOSPITAL PRETTY

Annual graduation exercises at La Crosse hospital last night was one of the season's auspicious events. Four nurses were given diplomas and an elaborate program was rendered. The annual meeting and election also occurred last evening.

Charles H. Schweizer presented diplomas to the following graduate nurses:

Miss Liddie Clark, Caledonia, Minn.
Mrs. Myra Will, Winona, Minn.
Mrs. Mary Patterson, La Crosse.
Miss Etna Aylesworth, Sparta, Wis.
Miss Dora Carpenter, New Lisbon, Wis.

Dr. E. Townsend of New Lisbon, Wis., and Rev. John Wellington Hoag addressed the assemblage on the life of a nurse in its various phases. Both addresses were very much appreciated. Attorney Charles H. Schweizer also delivered an address.

The annual business meeting heard reports which showed the institution to be in first class condition and re-elected the following direcors: C. H. Schweizer, E. E. Bentley, J. S. Medary and W. W. Withee. The directors will elect officers July 9th. The present officers will probably be re-elected then. They are:

President—A. Hirshheimer.
Vice president—L. C. Colman.
Secretary—C. H. Schweizer.
Treasurer—E. E. Bentley.

Hereafter, by a change in the condition the annual meeting will be held in March instead of June of each year.

FIBER PLANT TO STAY IN WINONA

President E. G. Boynton of the Union Fiber company of Winona which recently was destroyed by fire, has returned from a meeting of directors at Winona. The directors decided to rebuild there. Plans are being completed for three new buildings to cost about $60,000. The new plant will be fireproof.

V. S. Kaeppel of Onalaska is in the city today.

BUILDING FOOD.
To Bring the Babies Around.

When a little human machine (or a large one) goes wrong, nothing is so important as the selection of food to bring it around again.

"My litle baby boy fifteen months old had pneumonia, then came brain fever, and no sooner had he got over these than he began to cut teeth and, being so weak, he was frequently thrown into convulsions," says a Colorado mother.

"I decided a change might help, so took him to Kansas City for a visit. When we got there he was so very weak when he would cry he would sink away and seemed like he would die.

"When I reached my sister's home she said immediately that we must feed him Grape-Nuts and, although I had never used the food, we got some and for a few days gave him just the juice of Grape-Nuts and milk. He got stronger so quickly we were soon feeding him the Grape-Nuts itself and in a wonderfully short time he fattened right up and became strong and well.

"That showed me something worth knowing and, when later on my girl came, I raised her on Grape-Nuts and she is a strong healthy baby and has been. You will see from the little photograph I send you what a strong, chubby youngster the boy is now, but he didn't look anything like that before we found this nourishing food. Grape-Nuts nourished him back to strength when he was so weak he couldn't keep any other food on his stomach." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

All children can be built to a more sturdy and healthy condition upon Grape-Nuts and cream. The food contains the elements nature demands, from which to make the soft gray filling in the nerve centres and brain. A well fed brain and strong, sturdy nerves absolutely insure a healthy body.

Look in pkgs. for the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."

KNOCK TO NORMAL COMMENTED UPON

The opposition to a normal school in La Crosse, which has developed in the editorial columns of Mr. Gelat's Morning paper has caused some little comment about town, but oblivious to it the judiciary and finance committees of he common council will meet tonight to discuss plans to appropriate $16,000 toward the purchase of the normal site. Alderman Withee expresses the belief that the report will be favorable and will not be delayed and believes also that th council will pass it promptly.

The "interests'", newspapers' opposition is based, obviously, either upon reluctance to see La Crosse go ahead, else through personal bitterness of the management because of failure to get the city printing at maximum legal rates.

Organ Recital

At Christ church an organ recital was given by Harry Packman, assisted by Master Matthew Crawford of Minneapolis and Walter West Wednesday, June 13, at 8 p. m.

Following was the program rendered:

Sonata de Camera No. 1.....Pearce
Alegro.
Romanza.
Allegro Maestro.
Violin Selected
Mr. Walter West.
Second Andantino in D Flat.....
... Lemare
Vocal, The Resurrection Shelly
Master Crawford.
Andante in A Flat H. S. Hoyte
Prayer Guilmant
Air from Tanhauser Wagner
Vocal, Visitors Nevin
Master Crawford.
The Ascension J. G. West
"Unfold Ye Portals Everlasting."
... Gounod

PRETTY WEDDING LAST EVENING

A pretty Juen wedding occurred last evening at St. Joseph parsonage when Miss Emily J. Lehnen and Arthur J. Loeffler, were united by the Rev. Father G. Sluyter. Miss Theresa Brimeyer and Alois P. Schummers, cousins of the bride, were bridesmaid and best man respectively. Miss Lenhnen was handsomely attired in embroidery net over white silk.

After the ceremony a wedding supper was served at the home of the bride, 1222 South Sixth street. The bride and groom left last evening for the east, and will return here and be at home at 316 South Sixth street after July 15th.

Their wedding day was also the occasion of the fortieth wedding anniversary of the father and mother of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lehnen.

AWAIT CONCERT WITH PLEASURE

The public is looking with special favor upon the concert to be given by the St. Olaf College student band at Germania hall tomorrow evening. The band comes with the very best endorsements and enjoys the good will and praise of the people wherever it has played. It is also not to be overlooked that the members of this band are all college men who have devoted themselves to music for its own sake and for the love of the cause. This should awaken a hearty response from all music lovers in the city.

It is claimed by those who have heard the band that it is beyond any question the best in the entire northwest. Its leader, Mr. F. Melius Christensen, is a natural born musician and has enjoyed the advantage of years of association and study with the masters at Leipsic and Dresden. The program tomorrow night will consist of modern as well as classical selections and should appeal to everybody. It might also be added that the student singers of Christiania, who were here a year ago, on being received by this band at Northfield, pronounced it the best they had heard, which fact speaks for itself. A good house should be assured tomorrow night, for the entertainment will be an excellent one.

$3.25

For six handsome sterling silver tea spoons, good weight, extra strong through the shank, no danger of bending. We contracted for the silver for these spoons 90 days ago when silver was 15 per cent lower than now, so we are saving our customers 75 per cent on every set of spoons sold. Engraving free.

IRVINE'S, 429 Main Street
La Crosse's Greatest Jewelry Store.

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Because it conveys News of the Most Vitally Important Special Values we have ever Offered Right in the Heart of the Clothes Buying Period.

As the result of one of the rarest bits of good fortune we have ever experienced we were enabled to procure from a clothes-maker of national fame a large choice quantity of the season's richest innovations in men's summer suits at a price so much less than the regular market value that we are in position to afford our patrons a most extraordinary bargain-treat in the very clothes they need for summer wear.

Looming up prominently in this exceptional event is a great distribution of the finest $15 and $18 Summer Suits at $12.50

Those who know anything at all about suit values will instantly recognize in these high-grade garments the same degree of excellence which distinguishes the suits sold in many stores as high as $20. The styles and patterns are absolutely irreproachable, many of them never before introduced in La Crosse. Smart shaped-to-the-waist coats with slightly belled flare and tailored with a skill that is characteristic of the greatest clothes makers in America. Choice TOMORROW of any shade, style, or pattern, single or double-breasted at . . $12.50

Superb $22.50 and $24.00 Suits Distributed at the One Price of $19.85

These garments are the choicest gems of the clothes-makers' art. It is a noticeable fact that they are in every sense equal to the most expensive custom-tailored suits. Ask for any style, any pattern, any new fabric and the salesman will place it before you in the twinkling of an eye. The richness of quality and exclusiveness of style will impress you at once and your own knowledge of values will tell you that they are matchless bargains at $19.85

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MOULTEN METAL BURNS OFF TOE OF FOUNDRY EMPLOYEE

Frank Zacks, While Carrying Ladel of Liquid Metal Drops it on Foot With Terrible Result

While carrying a ladle of molten metal at the Summit Foundry company from the cupulo last evening about 4 o'clock Frank Zacks accidentally spilled the iron on his left foot, causing most excrusiating pain as the molten metal burned through his shoe and into his foot, entirely consuming the largest toe.

This is the first accident of any consequence which has occurred at the Summit foundry since it opened some time ago.

Mr. Zacks is a new man in La Crosse but is one of teh most experienced molders at the plant and came here from the large plant at Geneva, N. Y.

INJURED AT BIRTH-DAY PARTY

While attending a birthday party of one of his friends at the home of A. R. Wells at 1126 Charles street yesterday, John Greene of 1316 Berlin street fell and cut a deep gash in his knee.

Dr. J. L. Callahan was called and it was necessary for him to take three stitches in the wound. This cast a gloom on the party which broke up a short time after.

MRS. LUECK ENTERTAINS

Mrs. C. W. Lueck entertained a number of her friends Thursday afternoon at a five o'clock tea and Thimble bee in honor of her mother, Mrs. Hocks of New York, who has been visiting with them for some time. All enjoyed the afternoon very much.

Those present were Mesdames Mary Simcox, Mr. Morrison, Sally Bates, C. W. Simcox and Mary Jones.

NORTH SIDE BRIEFS

Short prices—long values—model clothes—Larson-Nein Clo-Co.

The Maccabees will initiate a class of about twelve this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Strauss of Richland Center who have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Baum of 901 Rose street for some time have returned home.

Miss Blanche Goodenough has returned to Chicago after a few weeks' visit with her mother on Clinton street.

Miss Jesse Sarles of Hillsboro, N. D., is the guest of relatives and friends on the north side for a few days.

Mrs. F. C. Lamoman has returned from Marinette where she went as the north side delegate to the grand encampment.

Mr. and Mrs. John McGuane have gone to Wabasha to spend a few days with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Wells of Arcadia is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. Stevens.

Herman Fjelstad accompanied by Oscar and Anthony Johnson will leave tomorrow for a few days' visit in Chicago.

The Onalaska baseball team will play Sunday at Galesville.

Jones the La Crosse league pitcher and Sjouquist made a large catch of catfish in Black river last evening.

Mrs. J. L. Dodge returned yesterday from the La Crosse hospital.

Mrs. D. Johnson of Jarama, Colo., is the guest of Mrs. Forss of Kane street.

A saving worth making—Model Clothing—Larson-Nein Clothing Co.

Mrs. John Shumacher of 1442 Rose street, who has been ill for the past three weeks, is slightly improving.

Commissioner Arthur J. Roberge of the board of public works is making extensive improvements at his residence at 1014 Rose street.

Brick has been laid at the causeway watering trough where there always used to be a deep mud hole.

Work on the sewer installations on Caledonia street is progressing rapidly.

Miss Selma Evjen who has been at Minneapolis for the past two years is the guest of Mrs. Spoonick at 1538 Loomis street.

Miss Anna Kinnear is entertaining Miss Ruby H. Tostevin of Superior, one of her college friends at the Lawrence University.

VOLIVA HAS ALIENIST AT TRIAL TO TRY TO PROVE ELIJAH DOWIE INSANE

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

CHICAGO, June 15.—As a result of Dowie's appearance on the stand Voliva will try to prove him insane

Dowie was called this afternoon. A noted alienist appeared the trial each time Dowie was on the stand and noted carefully his actions and words.

ENGLISH PACKING HOUSES ARE JUST ABOUT AS FILTHY AS OUR OWN

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

LONDON, June 15.—A local paper reveals that conditions at the Chicago packing houses are duplicated here.

The packers evade the inspectors and sell diseased meats and adulterated, poisoned canned goods.

GERMANY MAY HAVE TO GO AFTER AFRICAN REBELLION WITH TROOPS

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

BERLIN, June 15.—The rebellion in German East Africa is so intense it is feared it will be necessary to embark an army to suppress it.

A negro sorceress is arousing the blacks against all Europeans.

INDICT ATTENDANT AND CLEAR THE INSTITUTION

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

KANKAKEE, Ills., June 15.—The grand jury investigating the alleged mismanagement of the insane asylum asylum here absolved the institution of all blame and indicted attendant Leslie Dewitt on a charge of mistreating a patient named Merrill.

ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY.

To the Voters:

I hereby respectfully announce myself a candidate for the republican nomination for the office of clerk of the court at the coming primaries.

ROBERT (PUNCH) ROBERTSON.

If you bought everything in the best market, how much money could you save in a year? A sum large enough to pay yourself good wages for the time spent in reading the ads.

MARKET BASKET

A Section *of* Interest to the Housewife Looking for Bargains for the Culinary Department

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The nice nutty flavor of our Virginia Brand of Hams and Breakfast Bacon--Nothing Better.

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TICKLE YOUR PALATE

with delicious, desirable green stuff--

"Fresh as the breath of a Country Morning"

We have some of those fine luscious homegrown

STRAWBERRIES

which you always get here.

NOW is the opportune time to can those pineapples. We will have a full line of them the first of the week.

DON'T FORGET IT.

We have just received another lot of that "absolutely pure" Maple Syrup and Sugar.

We always have a full line of Vegetables of all kinds and in fact

Everything worth while.

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LA CROSSE'S GREATEST GROCERY SELLERS

Saturday's Pure Grocery Specials

The following items clearly demonstrate the immense savings in pure groceries for all who do their shopping here. It's but a partial list of the numerous saving opportunities to be found every day of the week in this section of the store, carefully read these offerings:

Sugar Standard Powdered, 5 lbs. for..... Cut Loaf, 4 pounds for..... **25c**

Soap SWIFT'S PRIDE or SWEET HOME **11 Bars for 25c**

Uneeda Biscuit, Zu Zu Ginger Snaps, Lemon Snaps or Uneeda Milk..... **2 Pkg's for 9c**

Ginger Shaps, fresh baked, per lb. only	5c	**Chocolate**, Walter Baker's premium, ½ lb. at only	14c
Nabisco Sugar Wafers, asst. flavors, per lb.	40c	**Baking Powder**, Rumford's 1lb. can, special at	21c
Soda Crackers, fresh oyster, 2 lbs. for	13c	**Pickles**, fancy dill per gallon, special at	19c
Cheese, Mac Faren's imperial club size jar at	9c	**Peanut Butter**, McFaren's imperial, 15c size at	13c
Sardines, fancy French in oil, special at 3 cans for	25c	**Macaroni**, fine fresh, 2 pkgs., special at	25c
Sardines, smoked in oil, special per can at	10c	**Tomatoes**, Curtice Bros. blue label, 2 cans for	25c

EARLY JUNE PEAS AND SUGAR CORN **3 Cans for Only 21c**

Baked Beans		Monarch Brand Catsup	
1 lb. can at only	9c	½ pint bottle at only	10c
2 " "	14c	1 " "	19c
3 " "	18c		
EGG-O-SEE, breakfast food, 3 pkgs. for only	23c	**SALMON**, Boots's black diamond, special at only:—	
Mother's Crisp, breakfast food, 3 pkgs. for only	20c	½ lb. can steak at only	11c
		1 " " "	20c

FREE GOLD MEDAL COOK BOOK FREE with a sack of Gold Medal Flour, SATURDAY.

... IN OUR MEAT MARKET ...

Good cut of round steak, special at per lb.	10c	Choice beef porterhouse steak, special at per lb.	15c
Best cuts of sirloin, special at per lb.	12½c	Milk-fed veal steak, special at per lb.	10c

Everything in the Best Grade Meats and Sausages at Prices Insuring a Big Saving.

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When you want Cream to whipp try our

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Try our sausage and you will like it.

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WEDNESDAY ONLY:

Butter Choice Fairy Per Pound.... **15c**

Strawberries Per Box 5c

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1034 REDFIELD STREET.

BOTH PHONES.

Leave your orders for

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Early Vegetables, Tomatoes, Pie Plant, Asparagus, Celery, Lettuce, Cabbage Cucumbers, Radishes, Onions, Spinach, Beets, Carrots, Etc. Green Fruits, Bananas, Oranges, Lemons, Apples, Pine Apples, Etc.

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A Busy Medicine for Busy People.

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A specific for Constipation, Indigestion, Live and Kidney Troubles, Pimples, Eczema, Impure Blood, Bad Breath, Sluggish Bowels, Headache and Backache. It's Rocky Mountain Tea in tablet form 35 cents a box. Genuine made by Hollister Drug Company, Madison, Wis.

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Capital..... $25,000.00

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IXL Starch 10c pkge	5c
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Van Camp Baked Beans 10c can 8c 15c can 10c, 25c can 17c.	
Pure Food Baking Powder 50c can	20c
We quote fancy dairy butter, per lb. . . .	15c

We also Handle Hard Maple Cord Wood, No. 1 Second Growth Oak & Soft Wood

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From frigid north to tropic south,
It is in everybody' mouth,
Its colors have long been unfurled,
And now 'tis trav'ling 'round the world
From east to west in ev'ry test,
Nebuer's been declared the best.

AND ITS FINE, TRY IT.

N. Side Bottling Works, 901-903 Rose Street.

MAYOR COULD DO NOTHING TO SAVE GIRLS

RACINE, Wis., June 15.—Members of the Women's Christian Temperance union recently held a meeting and reports were made that large numbers of young girls were frequenting the streets at night, brought in contact with undesirable company, and that the reason for this state of affairs was because the curfew law was not enforced. A committe was appointed to wait on Mayor Nelson to demand to know why the law was not enforced. Mayor Nelson astonished the delegation by telling them he could do nothing, and they became excited and desired to know the reason. "Because," said the mayor, "the law was repealed one and a half years ago." Not a woman in the party knew of this action on the part of the council.

HOUSER TO KNOW FATE TUESDAY

MADISON, Wis., June 15.—Secretary of State Walter L. Houser will probably know at 10 o'clock next Tuesday morning whether or not he is held for trial on the criminal charge of having attempted to bribe State Insurance Commissioner Zeno M. Host. The question rests with Judge Anthony Donovan before whom the priliminary hearing of the defendant was held yesterday. The presentation of the testimony and argument consumed nearly all day, and at its conclusion the judge stated that in view of the importance of the case both to the state and the defendant he would take it under advisement until the time announced.

The case grows out of testimony given by Commissioner Host and Secretary of State Houser before the legislative insurance investigating committee several weeks ago when the commissioner swore that on June 16, 1903, when the L. A. Brunkhorst case against the Equitable Life Assurance society was pending before him the secretary of state came to his private office, handed him a slip of paper containing typewritten decision which the insurance society desired him to render in the case and said that if such a decision were rendered the society would contribute $2,000 toward the La Follete campaign fund.

DRUG WAR ON AT RACINE

RACINE, Wis., June 15.—The war which has been fiercely waged between the Kradwell Drug company and the Red Cross Drug company for the control of the trade in Racine is to end in the courts. The Kradwell Drug company has brought suit against T. W. Thiesen of the Red Crosse company to restrain him from engaging in the drug business until June 23, 1908, and also to restrain Theisen from making use of a formula book owned by the plaintiff.

The defendant in the action was an officer of the Kradwell Drug company until June 23, 1903, when he disposed of his interests to the three Kradwell brothers. It is alleged that Theisen entered into a written agreement with the Kradwells not to engage, directly or indirectly in any other Racine drug company. Four months ago, it is alleged, Thiesen became interested in the Red Cross company, which controls five stores, and, it is alleged, that he is employing secrets of the Kradwell company.



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The Hops used in the brewing of Blatz Beer are rich in *aromatic properties* and *tonics* (hop bitters), which lend to the beer that fragrance which captivates lovers of the beverage. The tonics act as a *mild stimulant* to the *digestion.* Blatz Beer is *perfectly fermented* and *ripened* in the *coldest* and *cleanest cellars extant.*

The most skilled masters zealously guard "Blatz" *individuality.* The paramount object being to maintain with absolute uniformity every characteristic that has these many years meant *Blatz Quality.*

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more or less of Pocahontas smokeless coal.

(C). Price per ton for 1,200 tons more or less of New River smokeless coal.

(D). Price per ton for 1,200 tons more or less of Ocean coal.

(E). Price per ton for 1,200 tons more or less of Third Vein of Illinois soft coal of different mines.

(F). Price per ton for 1,200 tons more or less of Hiawatha Smokeless.

City hall and fire stations, 290 tons coal of (B), (C) and (D).

Said coal to be inspected by the board of public works in box cars at the pumping station and to be weighed on the city scales free of charge under the direction of the board of public works.

All proposals shall be sealed and directed to said board, and shall be accompanied with a bond to the city of La Crosse in the penal sum of thirty per cent of the bid, which bond shall be signed by the bidder and two or more responsible sureties, who shall each make affidavit that he is the owner of real estae in the county of La Crosse, free from incumbrance and subject to execution of a cash value equal to the penalty of said bond, conditioned that said bidder will enter into contract and a new bond within ten days with good and sufficient sureties conditioned that he will execute and fully perform his said contract according to his said proposal and specification therefor.

No bond will be required of any bidder who at the time he offers his proposal as aforesaid shall deposit with the board a sum of money equal to fifty per cent of the penalty of his bond, under an agreement that the same to be returned to him in case the contract is not awarded to such bidder or in case he makes no default in entering into contract with satisfactory sureties if his bid is accepted.

If the contractor fails to complete his said contract on the day mentioned, the same shall pay to the city of La Crosse a penal sum of $25.00 for each and every day until such contract is completed.

The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated this 15th day of June, 1906. H. J. BECKWITH, ARTHUR J. ROBERGE, GEORGE FALK, Commissioners of the Board of Public Works.

Audited June 15, 1906, C. H. Connor, Comptroller.

LEGALS.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned board of public works of the city of La Crosse will receive sealed proposals at their office, city hall building, La Crosse, Wisconsin, until 2 o'clock p. m. on the 26th day of June, 1906, for fuel for a period dating from the 1st day of June, 1906, to the first day of June, 1907, for the pumping station, city hall and the fire stations in the city of La Crosse.

Bidders must state the price separately as indicated by the following letters, (A), (B), (C), (D), (E), Pumping station.

(A). Price per ton for 1,200 tons of Cardiff Wilmington coal.

(B). Price per ton for 1,200 tons

NOTICE OF MEETING OF BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Pursuant to section 5, chapter 10 of the city charter, notice is hereby given that the assessment rolls of the taxable property of the city of La Crosse for the assessment of the year 1906 will be open for inspection and examination by the taxable inhabitants of said city in the office of the undersigned tax commissioner in the city hall of La Crosse, on the 23rd day of June, 1906, and for the correction of said assessment rolls by the board of assessors.

Dated La Crosse, Wis., June 12th, 1906. JOSEPH FRISCH, Tax Commissioner.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

The undersigned board of public works of the city of La Crosse will receive sealed proposals at their office, city hall building, until the 21st day of June, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m., for furnishing all material and doing all work to fully complete the painting at the pumping station for the city of La Crosse, in accordance with plans and specifications for said work now on file at the office of the board of public works, the work to be commenced forthwith and to have said work done and completed on or before the 15th day of July, 1906.

All proposals shall be sealed and directed to said board, and shall be accompanied by a bond to the city of La Crosse in the penal sum of $70.00, which bond shall be signed by the bidder and two or more responsible sureties, who shall each make affidavit that he is the owner of real estate in the county of La Crosse, free from incumbrance and subject to execution, of a cash value equal to the penalty of said bond, conditioned that said bidder will enter into contract and a new bond within ten days with good and sufficient sureties conditioned that he will execute and fully perform his said contract according to his said proposal and specifications therefor.

No bond will be required of any bidder who at the time he offers his proposal as aforesaid, shall deposit with the board the sum of $35.00 in cash under an agreement that the same shall be returned to him in case the contract is not awarded to such bidder, or in case he makes no default in entering into contract with satisfactory sureties if his bid is accepted.

If the contractor fails to complete his said contract on the day mentioned he shall pay to the city of La Crosse the sum of $5.00 for each and every day thereafter until such contract is completed.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

Dated this 12th day of June, 1906. H. J. BECKWITH, ARTHUR J. ROBERGE, GEORGE FALK, Commissioners of Public Works.

Audited June 12th, 1906, C. H. Connor, Comptroller.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

The undersigned board of public works, of the city of La Crosse will receive sealed proposals at their office, city hall building, until the 21st day of June, 1906, at two o'clock p. m., for furnishing all material and doing all work to fully complete sidewalks for the city of La Crosse, in accordance with specifications for said work now on file at the office of the board of public works, the work to be commenced forthwith and to have said work done and completed on or before the 15th day of August, 1906.

Burns' Park from S. E. cor. to N. W. cor., width 6 feet, length approximate 350 lineal feet.

West side 13th street from Badger street to Forest avenue, width 6 ft., length approximate 265 lineal ft.

North side of La Crosse street, abutting Myrick Park, width 6 ft., length approximate 240 lineal ft.

On north side of La Crosse street from Oakland street to Forest avenue, width 6 ft., length approximate 150 lineal ft.

North side of Farwell street from 14th street to Forest avenue, with 4 ft., length approximate 150 lineal ft.

East side of 16th street from Winnebago street, north to alley and on north side of Winnebago street from cor. of 16th street east, 5 lots, width 6 ft., length approximate 403 lineal ft.

All proposals shall be sealed and directed to said board, and shall be accompanied with a bond to the city of La Crosse in the sum of $240.00, which bond shall be signed by the bidder and two or more responsible sureties, who shall each make affidavit that he is the owner of real estate in the county of La Crosse free from incumbrance and subject to execution, of a cash value equal to the penalty of said bond, conditioned that said bidder will enter into contract and a new bond within ten days with good and sufficient sureties conditioned that he will execute and fully perform his said contract according to his said proposal and specification therefor.

Bottom course of said walks to be constructed of a layer of concrete composed of one part American Portland cement, three parts clean gravel and five parts of clean finely broken stone or gravel 2½ inches thick and well rammed; top course to be ½ inch thick, composed of one part of American Portland cement and one and one-half parts of fine crushed granite screenings or fine gravel.

No bond will be required of any bidder who at the time he offers his proposal as aforesaid, shall deposit with the board a sum of $120.00 under an agreement that the same shall be returned to him in case the contract is not awarded to such bidder, or in case he makes no default in entering into contract with satisfactory sureties if his bid is accepted.

The contractor is required to guarantee the walks for a period of one year.

If the contractor fails to complete his said contract on the day mentioned, the same shall pay to the city of La Crosse the sum of $4.00 for each and every day until such contract is completed.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

Dated this 12th day of June, 1906. H. J. BECKWITH, A. J. ROBERGE, GEORGE FALK, Commissioners of the Board of Public Works.

Audited June 12, 1906, C. H. Connor, Comptroller.

SALE ON PARTITION.

By virtue of a judgment for partition rendered and filed in the Circuit Court of La Crosse county at the general May term thereof of the year 1906, and on the 8th day of May, 1906, as yet of said term, in an action then therein pending between Herman Holtze, plaintiff, and Charles W. Holtze, Louise Schaller, Mary Fridenburg, Fred Holtze, Louis Holtze, Ernest Holtze, Ida Noble, Henry Holtze, George Holtze, Frank Holtze and Anton Florian, defendants, I will on the 14th day of July A. D. 1906, at the east front door of the court house, in the city and county of La Crosse, Wisconsin, sell all and singular, the premises mentioned and described in the said judgment, towit. "The north forty (40) feet of lot number eleven (11), block number nine (9), of Dunn, Dousman & Cameron's addition to the town of La Crosse, according to the plat of such addition now on record in the office of the register of deeds of La Crosse county," at public auction to the highest bidder for cash. The judgment provides that any of the parties may become purchasers at such sale.

Dated La Crosse, May 31st, A. D. 1906.

JOHN S. HAUGEN,
Sheriff La Crosse County.

C. L. HOOD,
Plaintiffs' Atty.

BANKRUPT'S PETITION FOR DISCHARGE.

In the district Court of the United States for the Western District of Wisconsin.

In the matter of James H. Hess, bankrupt, in bankruptcy.

To the Honorable A. L. Sanborn, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Wisconsin.

James H. Hess of Galesville, in the county of Trempealeau, and state of Wisconsin, in said district, respectfully represent that on the 28th day of Dec. 1904 last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy, that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said acts and of the orders of the court touching his bankruptcy.

Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said bankrupt acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 4th day of June, A. D. 1906.

JAMES H. HESS,
Bankrupt.

Order of Notice Thereon.

Western District of Wisconsin—ss.

On this 8th day of June, A. D. 1906, on reading the foregoing petition, it is

Ordered by the Court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1906, before said court at La Crosse, in said district, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the La Crosse Evening Tribune, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the court that the clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated.

Witness, the Honorable Arthur L. Sanborn Judge of the said court, and the seal thereof, at La Crosse, in said district on the 8th day of June, A. D. 1906.

ALFRED HARRISON,
Clerk.

(Seal of the Court)

BURLINGTON ROUTE EXCURSIONS.

PLACE	RATE	DATE OF SALES
Boston,	One fare plus $1.00,	May 31st to June 9th inclusive
Rock Island,	1⅓ fare,	June 13th, 14th and 15th

SPECIAL ROUND TRIP TICKETS
to Pacific Coast Points June 1st, to Sept. 15th.
HOMESEEKERS to the North and Northwest every Tuesday and to other territory first and third Tuesdays of each month
Call at Pearl St. Depot for details.

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Wants

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Unfurnished, two front rooms on second floor. City heat, $11 per month. Inquire F. B. N. Co., 125 South Fifth street.

FOR RENT—Furnished room in modern house, centrally located; gentlemen preferred. Apply 1122 Main street.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping; 310 North Eleventh street.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. All modern improvements, 911 Rose street.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, parlor and two bed rooms, 121 South Third.

FOR RENT—First class front room, modern. No. 511 King street.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Household goods, dining room table, chairs, sideboard, china closet, palm, book case, writing desk, couch, center tables, rocking chairs, carpets, bedroom suites, folding screen, medicine cabinet, child's folding bed, zink lined cupboard, crokonole board, gentleman's chainless bicycle, lady's bicycle, surrey, garden tools, oil heater, folding tables, jardinieres and stands, window seat, snow plough, ice cream freezer. Apply 1423 Madison street.

FOR SALE—Launch—20ft. launch, run 6 mo., finished in hard wood; modern, 3½ h. p. engine, jump spark with reversible wheel. Engine and boat Benton make. Cheap, easy payments. Inquire F. E. Withrow, La Crosse, Wis.

FOR SALE OR RENT—My home, at 1223 Ferry street, house 8 rooms, modern except heat. Apply N. D. Gordon, 1223 Ferry street.

FOR SALE—Eight room house, two fine lots with shade trees. Barn; good well. 710 Kane street. Apply N. D. Gordon, 1223 Ferry street.

FOR SALE—Cheap property at 828 South Fourth street.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. We prepare you for positions $12 to $20 weekly. Busy season now. Positions waiting, can nearly earn expenses before finishing. Write for catalogue. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—Man or boy to help on farm a few months. Address Lock Box 25, West Salem, Wis.

WANTED—Good man, capable of laying sewer and water pipes. E. Eckert, 3124 Old Phone.

WANTED—At J. S. Arenz' shoe store, gentleman clerk; experience not necessary.

WANTED—Boys at the J. Gund Brg. Co. Bottling Dept.

LOST.

LOST—Ladies' gold band bracelet last Sunday, on road to St. Joseph's Ridge. Return to Tribune office, $1 reward.

LOST—Gold watch hunting case and fob Tuesday. Return to Groff, Wilson house for reward.

LOST—Ladies' gold band bracelet. Return to Tribune office, $1 reward.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED—Girls at La Crosse Knitting Works, 410 North Second stret. Steady work. Highest wages.

WANTED—Competent dining room girls at once at the Stoddard hotel.

WANTED—Girl for house work on the farm. Inquire 116 North Third.

WANTED—Girls at Reliable Steam Laundry, 117-119 North Sixth st.

WANTED—Girls in the bottling department. Jno. Gund Brg. Co.

WANTED—Girls at La Crosse Cracker and Candy factory.

WANTED—Girl. Apply at Eagle Hotel. Good wages.

WANTED—Cutters at the Valyu Garment Co.

WANTED.

WANTED—Washing or house cleaning. Call 3452 old phone.

FINANCIAL.

MONEY TO LOAN—Diamonds, watches, etc. Stevens, 510 Main street.

LOANS made salaried people on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. La Crosse Mortgage & Loan Co., 822 Main Street, up stairs.

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DAILY STORE NEWS.

Glove Sale Saturday

Now that warm weather is at hand, the demand for Silk Gloves is rapidly increasing, the elbow length Silk Gloves are sold out, but we are fortunate in owning a line of Elbow Length Silk Mitts, which are now very popular as they may be worn with the Short Gloves and these too will be more scarce before long, so don't delay but come Saturday and get your supply.

16-Button Silk Mitts

Silk Mitts, elbow length, white or light blue, per pair..... **75c**

Silk Mitts, elbow length, white with embroidered back, per pair ... **$1**

Silk Lace Mitts, elbow, black or white, at pair **$1**

Prices for these goods in the cities are double what we ask.

Lisle Gloves, 2-clasp, in black, white, tan and grey, at per pair **25c**

Lisle Gloves, 2-clasp silk finish, in black, white, tan and browns at pair..... **50c**

Silk Gloves, double finger tips, in black, white, navy modes and greys at pair **50c**

Silk Gloves, made with double finger tips, very fine quality in black, white, modes and grey, per pair at **75c**

Silk Lace Gloves, 2-clasp in white, black and grey, at pair..... **$1**

Silk Mitts, white embroidered back and top, 12-button length, at pair..... **$1**

Silk Lace Mitts, 12-button length, in black, at pair..... **75c**

Silk embroidered gloves, 2-clasp, in tan, grey and white. reduced to **50c**

White silk mitts, embroidered in black, 12-button length reduced to **50c**

Silk lace gloves, 2-clasp, in white, black and tans, reduced to..... **50c**

FUNDS FROM PLAY TO AID STUDENTS

MADISON, Wis., June 15.—The senior class of the University of Wisconsin has decided to give the proceeds of the class play, which is always one of the most important features of the commencement week program, to the loan fund maintained to help self-supporting students attending the university. Students who are working their way through college may borrow from this loan fund necessary money to pay their expenses until they have an opportunity to earn the amount borowed and repay it to the loan fund. Sheridan's "School for Scandal" has been selected for the class play which will be given in the opera house on Class day, June 18. The production promises to be the most elaborate in costume and staging ever attempted for a class play. The play is under the direction of Walter H. Pyre, '99, who has been on the professional stage for some years, and was a member of Ada Rehan's company when she last produced this comedy. In order to accomodate the many alumni who will attend commencement, the management has arranged to reserve seats by mail.

The cast chosen as a result of competitive contest in which a large number of the members of the senior class took part, is as follows:

Sir Peter Teazle, G. Stewart McConoche, Portage; Sir Oliver Surface, Norman Sanborn, Ashland; Sir Benjamin Backbite, Victor Kadish, Milwaukee; Sir Harry Bumper, Zebulon face, Alexius Baas, Madison; Cradtree J. Earl Baker, Eagle; Moses, Charles C. Bishop, Dodgeville; Tripp, Harry F. Parker, Hudson; Rowley, Clarence King, Madison; Snake,Samuel Elmore Milwaukee; Careless, Earnest Jacobson,Milwaukee; Lady Teazle, Mildred Gapen, Madison; Lady Sneerwell, Euretta Kimdall, Janesville; Mrs. Candor Katharine Ethel George, Monticello, Ia.; Maria, Jane Fries, Richland Center; maid, Maud E. J. MacMillan, Wauwatosa; servant,Rudolph Karges, Berlin, Wis; minuet,Mable Davidson, Madison; Anna D. Smith, Madison; Gertrude Hunter, Racine, Zillah J. Bagley, Madison; James; James I. Bush, Milwaukee; Sidney Law, La-Crosse; John W. Breadshaw, Superior; Marshall Arnold, Peotone, Ill.; Phillip Knowlton, Madison.

The play is under the management of N. W. Rosenheimer, Kewaskum, and Victor Kadish, Milwaukee.

RAILWAY TO PAY CASH FOR RIGHTS

KENOSHA, Wis., June 15.—The officials of the Chicago, Kenosha, Milwaukee and Lake Geneva railway company this evening filed with the committee on railways of the common council a unique proposition in connection with the effort that is being made by the company to secue a right of way through the city. The proposition provided that the company shall pay into the treasury of the city the sum of $1.50 for each lineal foot of track laid within the limits of the city and that the money so paid in shall be turned over to property owners on streets used by the company for paving or improving the streets in any manner that the property owners may see fit. Added to this gift in cash to the property owners the company agrees to pave seventeen feet on all streets where double tracks are laid and nine feet on all streets where single track is laid. The company is planning to build a line to connect Kenosha and Waukegan, with the understanding that it is to be extended to Milwaukee within the next two years. It is also planned to build west from Kenosha to the city of Lake Geneva.

NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE BOARD OF REVIEW,

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that the board of review of the city of La Crosse will meet at the office of the city clerk of said city on the last Monday of June, being the 25th day of June, 1906, to review, examine and correct assessment rolls of said city of La Crosse for the year 1906.

Dated La Crosse, Wis., June 13th, 1906.

JOSEPH M. SIEGER,
City Clerk.

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BRYAN TO VISIT MILWAUKEE

MILWAUKEE, June 15.—William Jennings Bryan, twice the nominee of the Democratic party for president of the United States, and now mentioned as the most available candidate of that party for 1908, is expected to be in Milwaukee early in September, when there will be a banquet and public demonstration of state-wide significance given here in his honor, under auspices of the Jefferson club.

NECROMANCER SAYS MADISON IS TO BE DESTROYED NEXT SUNDAY

MADISON, Wis., June 15.—It is estimated today that the prophesy of a negro conjurer, styling himself Prof. Jones, will cause the exodus of 700 people from this city before the end of the week. Prof. Jones, who claims to have foretold the disaster at San Francisco, has predicted complete destruction of the city of Madison next Sunday. The lakes will overflow and inundate the city, he says.

Have you been betrayed by promises of quacks, swallowed pills and bottled medicine without results except a damaged stomach. To those we offer Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents. Ask your druggist.

GIRL SLAYS MAN IN OWN DEFENSE

BARRON, Wis., June 15.—Elva Aney, aged 21, has been arrested on the charge of killing Albert Hewitt, aged 50, eigh miles east of Chetek, Wis. Hewitt, who has been married three times, was infatuated with the girl, it is said, and insisted that she marry him. She was alone with her grandmother, and, becoming frightened, took a shotgun, telling him to leave or she would shoot. He started toward her and she, it is charged, fired. The coroner's jury found that Hewitt was killed by the girl in self-defense. She is in jail.

FIRE CHIEF IS AFTER HEARING

GREEN BAY, Wis., June 15.—Although no formal request for a trial has been filed by Chief William Kennedy of the fire department, who was suspended yesterday by the fire and police commissioners for accepting a bribe, the chief stated yesterday afternoon that he will ask for a hearing. His attorney, John F. Martin, will return next week, when the matter will be taken under advisement.

MILWAUKEE LIGHT TRUST RESTRAINS CITY FROM MAKING OWN LIGHT

MILWAUKEE, Wis., June 15.—A temporary injunction has been secured by the Milwaukee Light company restraining the city from buying property for a municipal lighting plant, on the ground that it has not sufficient money in the proper fund.

EMBROIDERY SALE

For Saturday only 5,000 yards of Swiss embroidery at half price.

3,000 yards embroidery edges and insertions, choice open patterns would sell over any counter at 20c, Saturday 10c yard

1,000 yards wide embroidery for baby dresses, skirts and waists well worth 40c, for deep embroidery like these at per yard..... 19c

1,000 yards corset cover embroidery with beading top, pretty open patterns, 50c value, Saturday you buy them at..... 25c yard

Dotted Swiss.

500 yards pretty sheer dotted Swiss for waists and dresses at per yard..... 25c

900 yards dotted Swiss and checked Dimity, dainty white goods at per yard 15c

White Belts.

Embroidered white belts with detachable buckles at 25c

White Hand Bags.

White duck hand bags to go with your white suit at each 49c

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Straw Hats

We are selling a lot of them nowadays. The Collegiate and the Sailor are the two main sellers. All shapes for all faces. Prices range—

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Our line of Shirts is complete, and we can show everything that is new. Shirts with attached cuffs, Coat style or regular. Also with cuffs detached, some pleated front, others plain. All colors. Prices—

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We are making great efforts in our Neckwear Department. We show new neckwear every week. All the swellest things as they come out. Make it a point to watch our Neckwear Window. You will be pleased with our displays.

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